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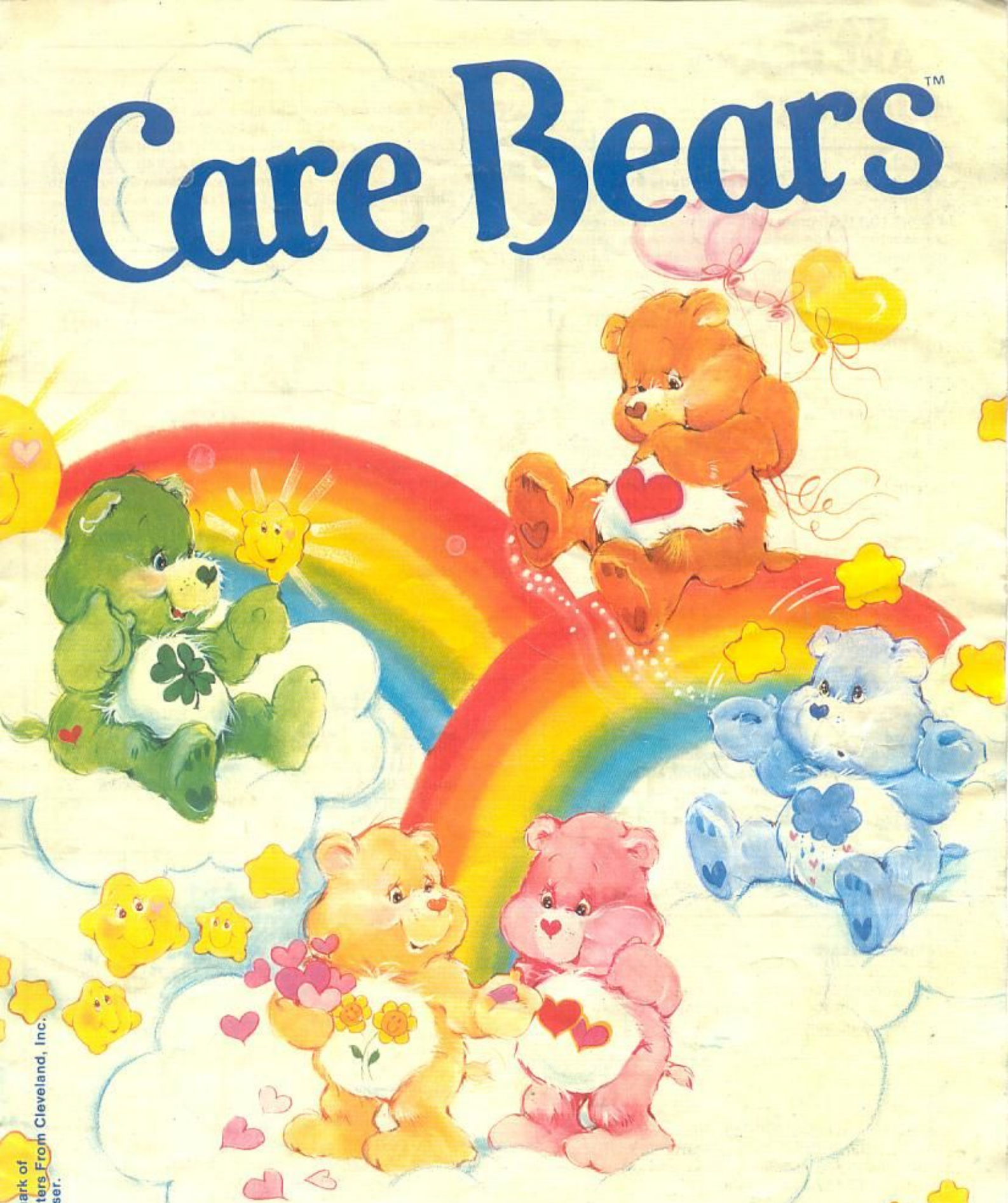

5 Knitting patterns

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DOUBLE KNITTING INSTRUCTIONS

Can be used with any 90 sts X 110 row grid.

Materials Required : Childrens/Adults Sizes

5(5,6,8,10,11) 50 gram balls DK wool in main colour *(see photographs)*. See chosen pattern grid for other colours needed;one ball of each will be enough. Pair each of 3mm/ No.11 and 3¾ mm/No.9 knitting needles.

Measurements

Chest :	24"	28"	30"	34/36"	38/40"	42/44"
Actual :	28"	30"	32"	38"	42"	46"
Length :	18"	19"	19"	24"	25"	26"
Sleeve Seam :	12"	13"	15"	18"	19"	19"

Tension

6sts.and 8 rows = 1 inch on No. 9 needles.Check your tension,if less sts.,use a finer needle, if more sts., use a coarser needle.

Abbreviations

K-knit; P- purl; st(s)-stitch(es); rep-repeat; patt- pattern; st.st.-stocking stitch; beg-begin(ning); alt- alternate; sl-slip; tog-together; rem-remaining; inc-increase; dec-decrease; cm-centimetres; in-inch; MS-main shade.

N.B. Instructions for the larger sizes are in ( ); where one figure is given this applies to all sizes.

Method of Weaving

When working chart pattern use a separate ball of wool for each section,twisting them together to avoid a hole when changing colour.

Front

**With MS and No. 11 needles cast on 75(81,87,101,113, 125)sts.
1st row : (Right side). K1. *P1. K1. Repeat from * to end of row.
2nd row : P1. *K1.P1. Repeat from * to end of row.

Repeat these two rows (K1.P1.) ribbing for 2(2,2,3,3,3)ins., ending with right side facing for next row and increasing 9(9 9,13,13,13)sts evenly across last row. 84(90,96,114,126, 138)sts on needle.**Change to No.9 needles.

Note - For all motif designs using 90sts X 110 row grid :
1st size only : To knit the smallest size you must reduce the width of grid by 6 sts to 84 sts total (ie.ignore 3sts at each side of grid where possible).Beginning with a K row K2 rows in st.st.

Next row : Knit 84sts (ie.total width of grid),this sets position of grid.Work in st.st. with grid until 116 rows have been worked in total.

2nd to 6th sizes only : Beg. with a K row K (2,4,24,24,28) rows in st.st.
Next row : K(0,3,12,18,24,)sts.Knit 90 (ie.total width of grid),knit to end.Total (90,96,114,126,138,)sts.This sets position of grid.

Work in st.st. with 90sts X 110 row grid or repeat pattern until 116(116,116,144,148,156) rows have been worked in total from beginning.

Shape Neck

Next row : (Right side).K32(34,37,46,50,56)sts.(neck edge).**Turn.** Leave remaining sts.on spare needle.Dec.1st at neck edge on next 6(6,7,8,8,9) rows.26(28,30,38,42,47) sts on needle.
Work even in st.st. for 9(9,12,15,19,18) rows ending with right side facing for next row.

To shape shoulder : Cast off 9(9,10,12,14,16) sts at the beginning of the next and following alternate row.Work 1 row even.Cast off remaining 8(10,10,14,14,15) sts.
With right side of work facing, slip next 20(22,22,22,26,26) sts from spare needle onto a st holder.Join MS to rem.sts. and knit to end of row.Work to correspond to other side reversing all shapings.

Back

Work from ** to ** as given for front. Change to No.9 needles (if using 'all over' repeat patt.knit 3 rows st.st. to set position of design,as on front,keep chosen patt. correct) Proceed in st.st.until back measures same length as front to shoulder shaping,ending with right side facing for next row.

To shape shoulders : Cast off 9(9,10,12,14,16)sts at the beg.of the next 4 rows,then 8(10,10,14,14,15)sts at the beg.of following 2 rows.Leave rem.32(34,36,38,42,44)sts on a st. holder.

Sleeves

With MS and No.11 needles cast on 45(45,49,53,63,69)sts and work 2(2,2,3,3,3) ins.in K1,P1 ribbing as given for front increasing 7(7,9,9,9,9)sts evenly across last row.52(52,58, 62,72,78) sts on needle.Change to No.9 needles,(if using rep. patt.knit 3 rows st.st. to set position of design, incorporating increasing on 3rd row,keeping patt. correct),proceed in st.st. inc.1st. at each end of needle on 3rd,then every following 4th row 0(6,2,11,3,3) times.54(66,64,86,80,86)sts on needle.Work 5 rows even.Increase 1st.at each end of needle on next ,then every following 6th row until there are 78(84,90,108,114,120)sts on needle.
Continue even in st.st. until sleeve measures 12(13,15,18, 19,19)ins.from beg. Cast off.

To Make up and Neckband

Sew right shoulder seam.With MS,No.11 needles and right side of work facing pick up and knit 19(19,23,27,31,31)sts down left front neck edge,knit across 20(22,22,22,26,26)sts from front st.holder.Pick up and knit 19(19,23,27,31,31)sts up right front neck edge.Knit across 32(34,36,38,42,44)sts from back st.holder dec.1 st.in centre.83(93,103,113,129,131)sts on needle.Work in K1,P1,rib for 2-3 ins.Cast off loosely.
Sew left shoulder and neckband seam.Fold neckband in half to wrong side and sew loosely in position.Place markers on front and back side edges 6(7,7,9,9,10)ins down from shoulder seams.Sew in sleeves between markers.Sew side and sleeve seams.Press lightly.

CARE BEARS JUMPERS

Materials Required: Childrens/Adults Sizes

4 (6,8,9,10,11) 50 gram balls 4 ply wool in main colour *(see photograph on back cover).* See chosen pattern grid for other colours needed; one ball of each will be enough. *(If you have difficulty in finding any of the colours listed on our colour keys, we suggest using tapestry wools for smaller areas, which are available in a wide range of shades).* Pair each of 2¾mm/No. 12 and 3¼mm/No. 10 knitting needles.

Measurements

Chest:	24"	28"	32"	36"	40"	44"
Actual:	26"	30"	34"	38"	42"	46"
Length:	16"	18"	21"	24"	25"	27"
Sleeve Seams:	11½"	13"	17"	18"	18"	19"

Tension

7sts. and 9 rows = 1 inch on No. 10 needles. Check your tension, if less sts., use a finer needle, if more sts., use a coarser needle.

Abbreviations

K-knit; P-purl; st(s)-stitch(es); rep-repeat; patt- pattern; st.st.-stocking stitch; beg-begin(ning); alt-alternate; sl-slip; tog-together; rem-remaining; inc-increase; dec-decrease; cm-centimetres; in-inch; TBL-through back of loops; MS-main shade.

N.B. Instructions for the larger sizes are in (); where one figure is given this applies to all sizes.

Method of Weaving

When working chart pattern use a separate ball of wool for each section, twisting them together to avoid a hole when changing colour.

Back

Using No. 12 needles and main colour cast on 92 (106,120,132,148,162) sts. and work 2" in K1, P1, rib.
*Change to No. 10 needles and beg. with a K row work 75 (81,99,117,117,127) rows in st.st.

Shape Armholes

Cast off 4 (4,5,6,6,8) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows.
Row 3: K1, purl to last st. K1.
Row 4: K1, K2 tog. TBL, knit to last 3 sts., K2 tog. K1.
Repeat rows 3 and 4 until 32 (36,40,40,48,48) sts. remain ending with a purl row. Leave sts. on a holder.

Front

Work as for back to *. Change to No. 10 needles and beg. with a K row work 0 (6,18,30,36,46) rows in st.st. Next row K1 (8,15,21,29,36) sts. Knit 90 *(i.e. total width of grid),* knit to end, total 92 (106,120,132,148,162) sts. This sets position of pattern grid; continue working with grid until 75 (81,99,117,117,127) rows have been worked in total.

Shape Armholes

Work as given for back until 50 (60,66,70,76,76) sts. remain ending with a purl row, *(at the same time when patt. is complete continue in MS).*

Shape Neck

Next row: K1, K2 tog., K12 (17,19,21,21,21) sts., turn and leave rem. sts. on a spare needle.
Dec. one st. at neck edge on following 5 (7,8,8,9,9) alt. rows and at the same time continue to dec. at armhole edge as given, until 2 sts. rem., cast off. Return to sts. on spare needle slip first 20 (20,22,22,28,28) sts. onto holder, rejoin yarn and knit to last 3 sts. K2 tog., K1; continue to match first side, reversing shapings.

Sleeves

Using No. 12 needles and MS cast on 46 (52,60,64,68,74) sts. and work in K1, P1, rib for 2 ins. Change to No. 10 needles and working in st.st. throughout work 5 rows inc. one st. at each end of next row and every following 6th row until there are 68 (80,90,106,112,122) sts. Work straight until work measures 11½ (13,17,18,18,19) ins. from cast on edge, ending with a Knit row.

Shape Armhole

Cast off 4 (5,4,7,6,6) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows.
Row 3: K1, purl to last st. K1.
Row 4: K1, K2 tog. TBL. knit to last 3 sts. K2 tog. K1.
Repeat rows 3 and 4 until 8 (8,12,12,12,12) sts. rem. Leave sts. on a holder.

To Make up and Neckband

Press lightly, join raglans leaving left back raglan open.
With a No. 12 needle and the right side facing K8 (8,12,12,12,12) sts. from left sleeve, knit up 13 (17,19,20,20,20) sts. down left side of neck K20 (20,22,22,28,28) sts. from centre front K13 (17,19,20,20,20) sts. up right side of neck K8 (8,12,12,12,12) sts. from right sleeve, K32 (36,40,40,48,48) sts. from back.
Total sts. 94 (106,124,126,140,140).
Work in K1, P1 rib for 2 in.
Using a larger size needle cast off loosely in rib, join remaining raglan and neckband. Fold neckband in half to wrong side and slip hem loosely into position. Join sleeve and side seams. Press seams.

Embroider where indicated by dotted line on charts, also see back cover photo's for further help.

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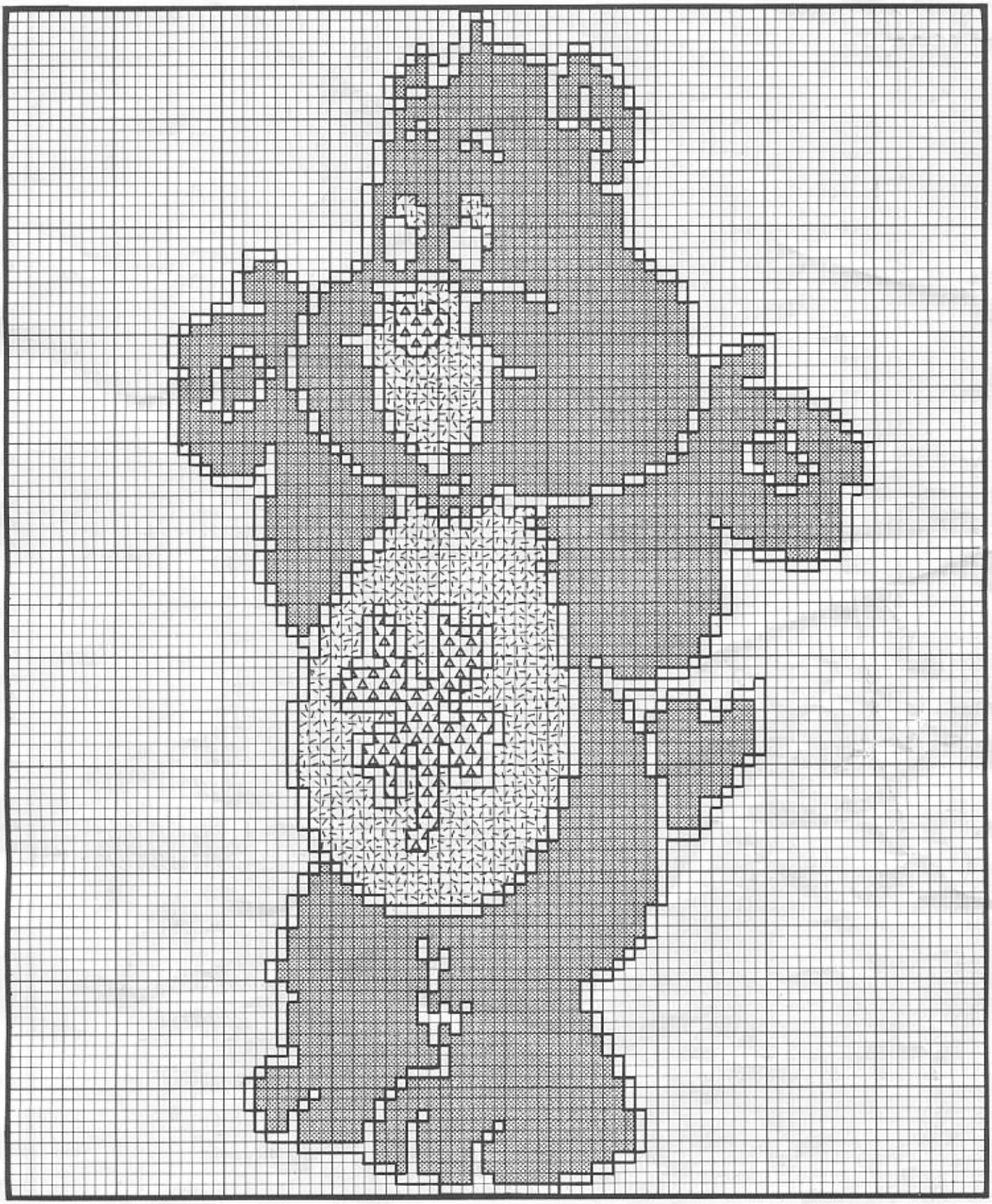


KEY

MS

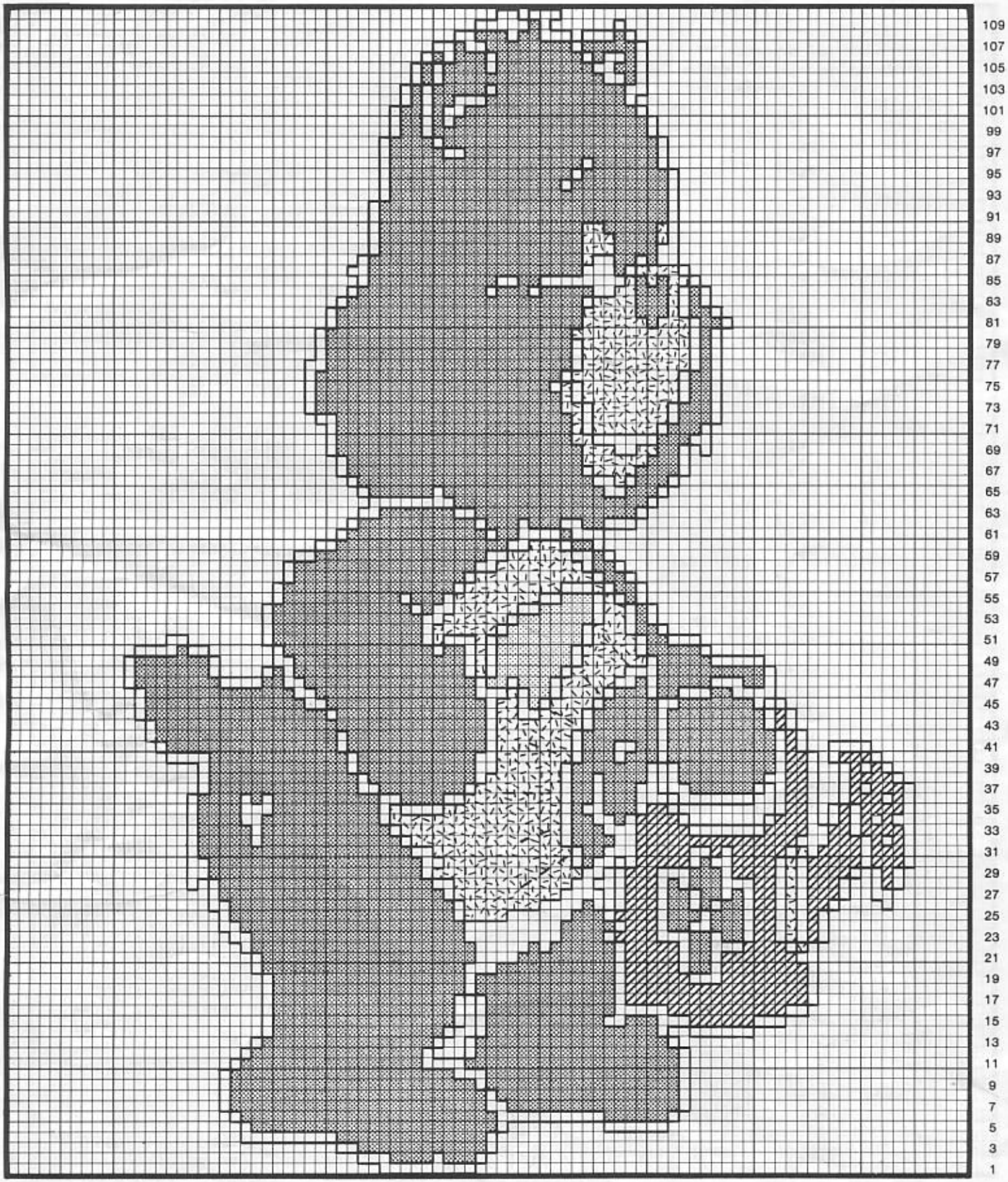
Black

White

Lime Green

Dark Green

FUNSHINE BEAR ™



KEY

MS

Black

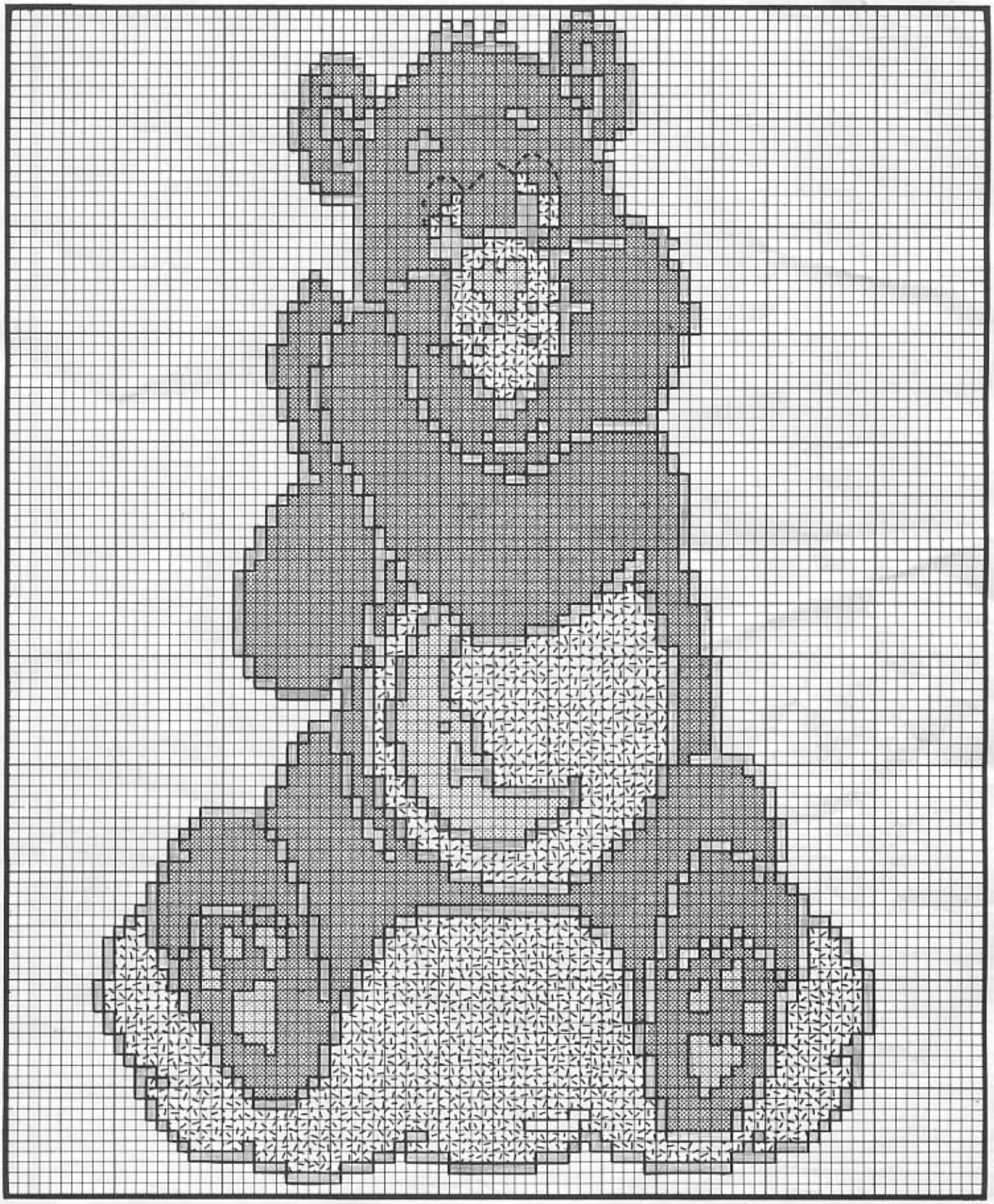
Yellow

Red

Grey

White

BEDTIME BEAR ™



KEY

MS

Black

Blue

White

Light Blue

TENDERHEART BEAR ™

KEY

MS

Black

White

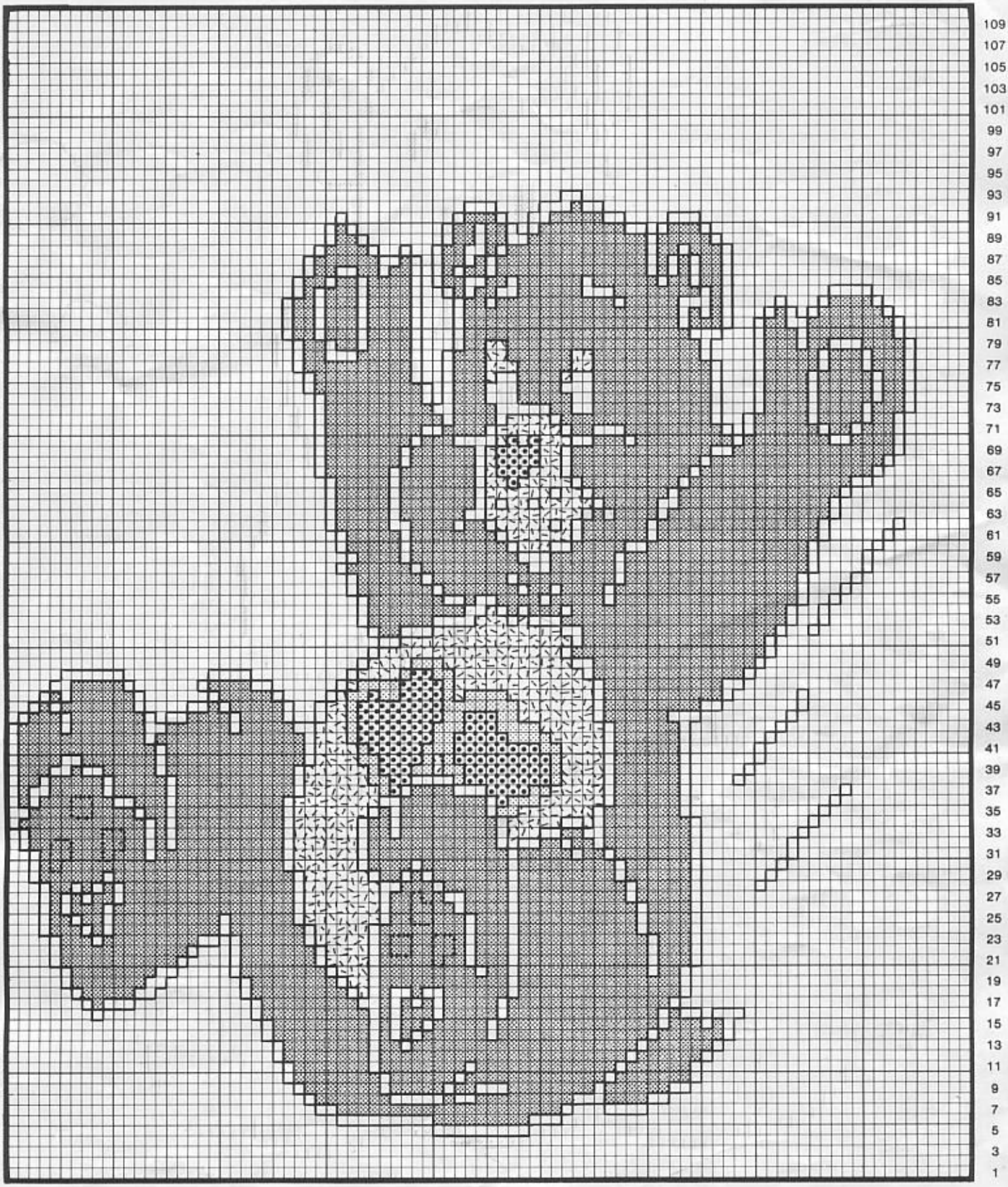
Brown

Red

Grey

Yellow

LOVE-A-LOT BEAR ™



KEY

MS

Black

White

Pink

Red

Yellow

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